

Sandoval County Board of County Commissioners

Agenda Item Summary

AGENDA ITEM # 11-20-14.8

1. REQUESTED MOTION

ACTION REQUESTED:

Adopt Resolution No. 11-20-14.8 Establishing the Legislative Policy and Capital/Funding Priorities for Sandoval County

WHY ACTION IS NECESSARY (Summary):

In preparation for the upcoming Legislative Session, staff has identified legislative policies and capital priorities. This resolution identifies the policies and capital projects that staff or our lobbyist will monitor on the County's behalf. The capital projects that the County would like to get funded were approved through the County's ICIP process.

2. REQUESTOR

COMMISSIONER SPONSORED: ☐ YES ☒ NO

DISTRICT: ☐ DISTRICT 1 ☐ DISTRICT 4
☐ DISTRICT 2 ☐ DISTRICT 5
☐ DISTRICT 3

DIRECTOR / ELECTED:

DIVISION:

ELECTED OFFICE:

ATTACHMENTS: ☒ YES ☐ NO

3. MEETING DATE

November 20, 2014

4. AGENDA (To be completed by County Manager)

- ☐ PROCLAMATION
☐ PRESENTATION
☐ CONSENT
☒ REGULAR
☐ APPEAL

5. RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommend Board of County Commission approval.

6. FISCAL IMPACT

None

7. RECOMMENDED APPROVAL (Initials & Date)

Department Director/Elected Official	Human Resources	Purchasing	Attorney As to Form PFT 11/14/14	Finance Budget	County Manager PPR 11/14/14	Other
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8. COMMISSION ACTION

☐ Approved ☐ Denied ☐ Deferred ☐ Other



SANDOVAL COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

RESOLUTION NO. 11-20-14.8

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY AND CAPITAL/FUNDING
PRIORITIES FOR THE COUNTY OF SANDOVAL FOR THE FIFTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE,
FIRST SESSION, OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

LEGISLATIVE POLICY:

1. Monitor any legislation that: (a) proposes any revenue reductions; (b) adversely affects funding sources; or (c) diminishes the County's regulatory authority.
2. Amend NMSA 33-3-25 Local Government Corrections Fund to enable Sandoval County to receive 100% of the Corrections Fund distributed by the Administrative Office of the Courts to counties.
3. Amend existing state law to enable counties to establish franchise agreements with utilities.
4. Amend statute(s) regarding municipal liens to allow counties the same authority as municipalities.
5. Monitor any legislation relating to the Assessor's Office including any impact to the County's revenue or bonding authority.
6. Monitor any proposed changes to the Inspection of Public Records Act and Open Meetings Act and determine if any proposed changes will negatively impact the County.
7. Monitor any legislation that impacts the tribes and pueblos in Sandoval County including any proposed changes to the Tribal Infrastructure Fund.
8. Monitor any legislation affecting Community Health, Senior Services, and DWI and Prevention funding.
9. Monitor any legislation relating to the Treasurer's Office.
10. Support projects requested by our Sandoval County tribes and pueblos.
11. Support our incorporated municipalities' capital outlay projects.
12. Propose amendment to NMSA §4-37-3 [Enforcing county ordinances; jurisdiction] to allow for the imposition of a fine of up to \$1000.00 per day or 364 days in jail for violation of an ordinance regulating the mining of sand or gravel.
13. Support ESCAFCA on legislative funding for drainage infrastructure in Algodones.
14. Support the 2015 NMAC Legislative Priorities as approved by the NMAC Board of Directors as follows:
 - **Job Creation and IRB Act Improvement** – Allow counties to increase economic growth and job creation by expanding the list of projects eligible for an IRB and removing the complaint process for certain IRB projects.
 - **Restore Detention Facility Funding** – Restore funding for the County Detention Facilities Reimbursement Act to \$5 million.
 - **Keep Southwest Chief / Amtrak Service** – Support the continuation of Amtrak's SW Chief and create reasonable funding alternatives.
 - **Inmate Options (Memorial)** – Study housing options and service delivery for detention inmates with special medical and mental health needs.

CAPITAL/FUNDING PRIORTIES:

1. Public Safety Facility (Phase 1) - \$2,000,000
2. Westside Blvd. (Unser to Rainbow) - \$2,500,000
3. Paseo del Volcan (ROW acquisition) - \$1,200,000
4. Northwest Loop (Rainbow to Encino) - \$1,000,000
5. Broadband Initiative - \$500,000

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners, the governing body of the County of Sandoval that the legislative program described herein for the Fifty-Fourth Legislature, First Session, of the State of New Mexico is hereby approved and adopted this 20th day of November 2014.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF SANDOVAL COUNTY**

Darryl F. Madalena, Chairman

ATTEST:

Orlando Lucero, Vice Chairman

Eileen Garbagni, County Clerk

Nora Scherzinger, Member

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Don Chapman, Member

Patrick F. Trujillo, County Attorney

Glenn Walters, Member